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Deputy Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County

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Suite 113 Courthouse 400 Washington Avenue Towson, MD 21204

Exhibit 1.

-(410) 887 4386

Ms. Rose Mroz 7608 Bay Front Road Baltimore, Maryland 21219

RE: PETITION FOR ZONING VARIANCE N/S Bay Front Road, 80.95' W of the c/l of Lodge Forest Drive (7610 Bay Front Road); and N/S Bay Front Road, 131.57' W of the c/l of Lodge Forest Drive (7608 Bay Front Road) 15th Election District - 7th Councilmanic District Rose Mroz - Petitioner Case Nos. 92-382-A and 92-383-A

June 5, 1992

Dear Mr. Mroz:

Enclosed please find a copy of the decision rendered in the above-captioned matters. The Petition for Zoning Variance filed in both cases has been granted in accordance with the attached Order.

In the event any party finds the decision rendered is unfavorable, any party may file an appeal to the County Board of Appeals within thirty (30) days of the date of this Order. For further information on filing an appeal, please contact Ms. Charlotte Radcliffe at 887-3391.

> Very truly yours, Deputy Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County

cc: Chesapeake Bay Critical Areas Commission 45 Calvert Street, 2nd Floor, Annapolis, Md. 21401

People's Counsel

Petition for Variance to the Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County for the property located at 7610 BAY FRONT ROAD

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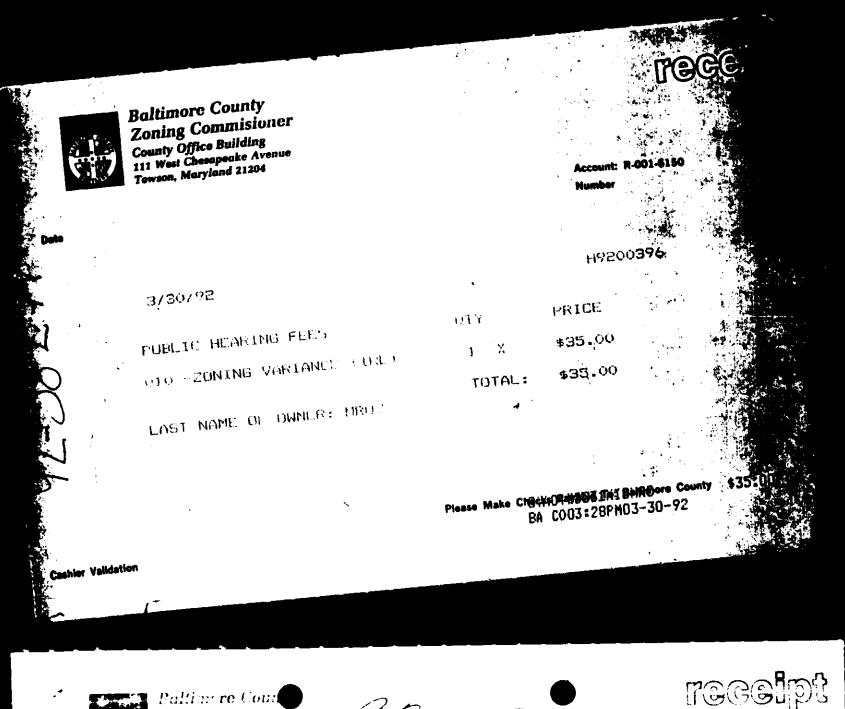
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Your petition has been received and accepted for filing this 9th day of April, 1992.

DIRECTOR

Zoning Plans Advisory Committee

Petitioner: Rose L. Mroz Petitioner's Attorney:

Baltimore County Government Office of Zoning Administration and Development Management Office of Planning & Zoning

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BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

The Office of Planning and Zoning has no comments on the

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Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County

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Ms. Rose L. Mroz 7608 Bay Front Road Baltimore, MD 21219

> RE: Item No. 396, Case No. 92-382-A Petitioner: Rose L. Mroz Petition for Variance

Dear Ms. Mroz:

The Zoning Plans Advisory Committee (ZAC) has reviewed the plans submitted with the above referenced petition. The attached comments from each reviewing agency are not intended to assure that all parties, i.e. Zoning Commissioner, attorney and/or the petitioner, are made aware of plans or problems with regard to the proposed improvements that may have a bearing on this case.

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Enclosed are all comments submitted thus far from the members of ZAC that offer or request information on your petition. If additional comments are received from other members of ZAC, I will forward them to you. Otherwise, any comment that is not informative will be placed in the hearing file. This petition was accepted for filing on the date of the enclosed filing certificate and a hearing scheduled accordingly.

The following comments are related only to the filing of future zoning petitions and are aimed at expediting the petition filing process with this office.

The Director of Zoning Administration and Development Management has instituted a system whereby seasoned zoning attorneys who feel that they are capable of filing petitions that comply with all aspects of the zoning regulations and petitions filing requirements can file their petitions with this office without the necessity of a preliminary review by Zoning personnel.

BUREAU OF TRAFFIC ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

DATE: April 16, 1992

Mr. Arnold Jablon, Director Office of Zoning Administration and Development Management

Stephen E. Weber SUBJECT: Z.A.C. Comments

Z.A.C. MEETING DATE: April 13, 1992

This office has no comments for item numbers 392, 396, 397, 398, 399, 401, 404, 406, 407, 408, 417 and 418.

Assistant Traffic Engineer

SEW/dm

Baltimore County Government Fire Department

(301).887.4500

APRIL 14, 1992

Arnold Jablon Director Zoning Administration and Development Management Baltimore County Office Building Towson, MD 21204

700 East Joppa Road Suite 901 Towson, MD 21204 5500

RE: Property Owner: ROSE L. MROZ

Location: #7610 BAY FRONT ROAD

Item No.: 396 (JCM) Zoning Agenda: APRIL 13, 1992

Gentlemen:

Pursuant to your request, the referenced property has been surveyed by this Bureau and the comments below are applicable and required to be corrected or incorporated into the final plans for the property.

7. The Fire Prevention Bureau has no comments at this time.

Noted and REVIEWER: Planning Group Fire Prevention Bureau Special Inspection Division

JP/KEK

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6742-92 92-382-A 5-18-92 BALT ORE COUNTY, MARY AND DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AND RESOURCE MANAGEMENT INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE DATE: June 25, 1992 Mr. Arnold Jablon, Director Zoning Administration and Development Management FROM: J. Lawrence Pilson Development Coordinator, DEPRM Zoning Item 396 #7610 Bay Front Road Zoning Advisory Committee Meeting of N/A The Department of Environmental protection and Resource Management offers the following comments on the above referenced zoning item. See attached Chesapeake Bay Critical Area Findings.

Attachments

JLP:sp

JABLON/S/TXTSBP

BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AND RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

DATE: June 25, 1992 TO: Mr. Arnold E. Jablon, Director Office of Zoning Administration and Development Management

FROM: J. James Dieter

SUBJECT: Petition for Zoning Variance - Item 396 Mroz Property Chesapeake Bay Critical Area Findings

## SITE LOCATION

The subject property is located at 7608 Bay Front Road. The site is within the Chesapeake Bay Critical Area and is classified as a Limited Development Area (LDA).

APPLICANT'S NAME Ms. Rose Mroz

## APPLICANT PROPOSAL

The applicant is not proposing any new construction. The applicant has requested a variance from Section 1802.3.C.1 of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations to permit "a side yard setback of 1.5 feet in lieu of the required 10 feet" to bring existing conditions into compliance.

#### GOALS OF THE CHESAPEAKE BAY CRITICAL AREA PROGRAM

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Mr. Arnold E. Jablon June 25, 1992 Page 2

#### **DEFINITIONS**

"Development activities" means the construction or substantial alteration of residential, commercial, industrial, institutional, or transportation facilities or structures."

<u>Findings</u>: No development is proposed for this site in accordance with the definition above, therefore, a Critical Area Findings is not required. However, any new development or redevelopment on this lot must fully comply with the Chesapeake Bay Critical Area Regulations.

#### CONCLUSION

This proposal does not require a Chesapeake Bay Critical Area Findings, and is therefore approved. If there are any questions, please contact Ms. Patricia M. Farr at 887-2904.

> J. James Dieter, Director Department of Environmental Protection and Resource Management

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## Attachment

cc: Ms. Rose Mroz

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Zoning Item 396

7608 Bay Front Road

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AND RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

Zoning Advisory Committee Meeting of April 13, 1992

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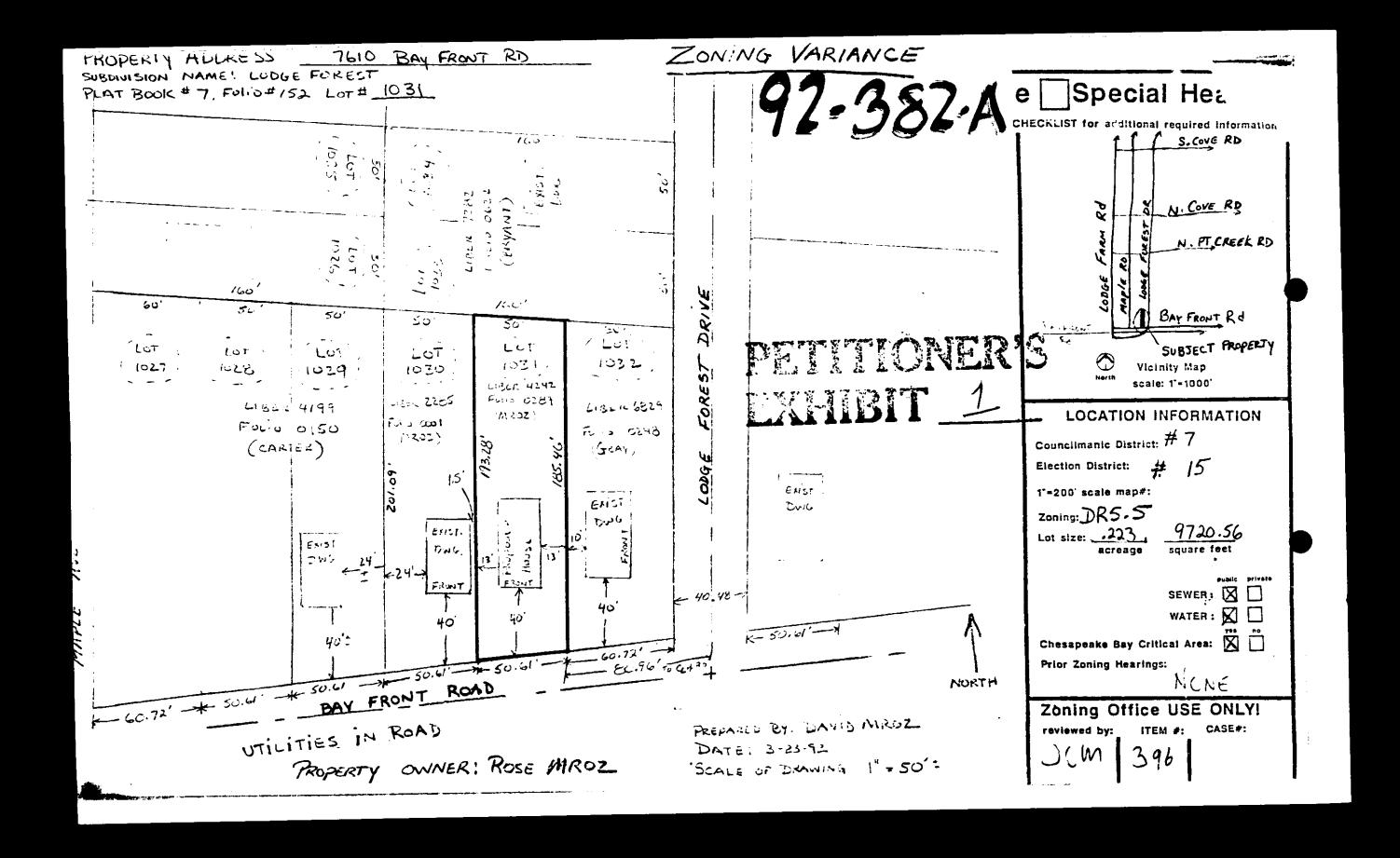
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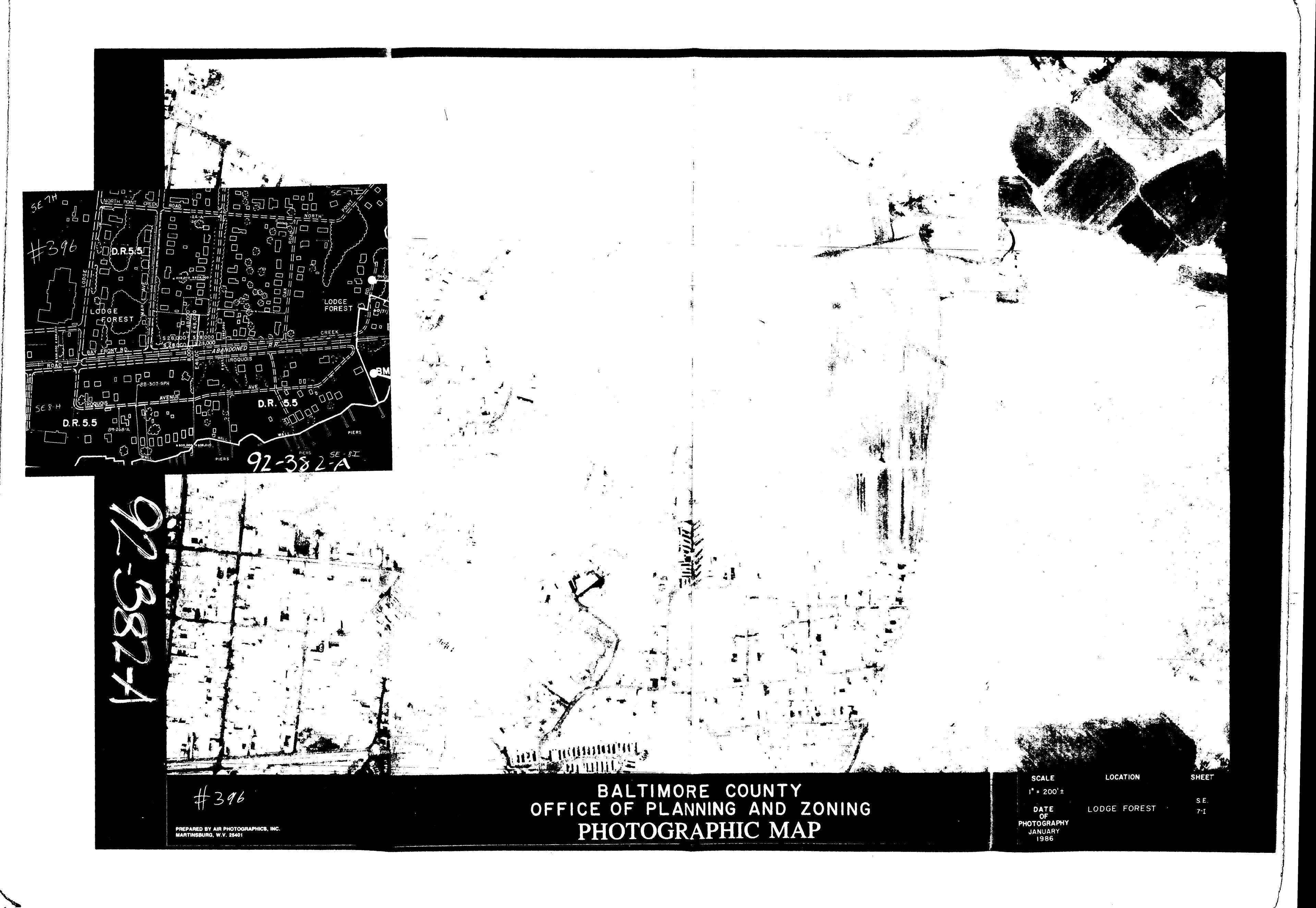
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DATE: May 21, 1992

PETITIONER(S) SIGN-IN SHEET





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Baltimore, Maryland 21219

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(7608 Bay Front Road)

Rose Mroz - Petitioner

Case Nos. 92-382-A and 92/383-A

cc: Chesapeake Bay Critical Areas Commission

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BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

April 14, 1992

Arnold Jablon, Director

Zoning Administration & Development Management

Ervin McDaniel, Chief Development Review Section Office of Planning and Zoning

SUBJECT: PETITIONS FROM ZONING
ADVISORY COMMITTEE - APRIL 13, 1992

The Office of Planning and Zoning has no comments on the following petitions:

> Item No. 392 Paul R. Rochlin Item No. 394 Ronald W. Chapman Item No. 396 Rose L. Mroy Item No. 397 Rose L. Mroy Item No. 398 Charles G. Scherr Item No. 399 Charles G. Scherr Item No. 400 Louis H. Young Item No. 403 Robert L. Jones Item No. 404 S. Edward Hargest Item No. 406 Gary W. Hohne Item No. 408 George F. Nixon Item No. 413 Steven R. Goff

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700 East Joppa Road Suite 901 Towson, MD 21204-5500

(301) 887-4500

APRIL 14, 1992

Baltimore County Governmen Office of Zoning Administration

and Development Management

Office of Planning & Zoning

NOTICE OF HEARING

The Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County, by authority of the Zoning Act and Regulations of Baltimore

Room 118, Baltimore County Courthouse, 400 Washington Avenue, Towson, Maryland 21204 as follows:

County will hold a public hearing on the property identified herein in

Variance to permit a side yard setback of 1-1/2 feet in lieu of the required 10 feet.

NOTE: HEARINGS ARE HANDICAPPED ACCESSIBLE; FOR SPECIAL ACCOMPODATIONS PLEASE CALL 887-3353.

111 West Chesapeake Avenue

APRIL 15, 1992

CASE NUMBER: 92-383-A

cc: Rose L. Mroz

Petitioner(s): Rose L. Mroz

N/S Bay Front Road, 131.57 W of c/l Lodge Forest Road

15th Election District - 7th Councilmanic

HEARING: MONDAY, MAY 18, 1992 at 9:00 a.m.

Towson, MD 21204

Arnold Jablon Director Zoning Administration and Development Management Baltimore County Office Building Towson, MD 21204

RE: Property Owner: ROSE L. MROX

#7608 BAY FRONT ROAD Location:

Item No.: 397 (JCM) Zoning Agenda: APRIL 13, 1992

Gentlemen:

Pursuant to your request, the referenced property has been surveyed by this Bureau and the comments below are applicable and required to be corrected or incorporated into the final plans for the property.

7. The Fire Prevention Bureau has no comments at this time.

Noted and Fire Prevention Bureau Special Inspection Division

JP/KEK

Baltimore County Government Office of Zoning Administration and Development Management Office of Planning & Zoning

111 West Chesapeake Avenue Towson, MD 21204

(410) 887-3353

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May 7, 1992

Ms. Rose L. Mroz 7608 Bay Front Road Baltimore, MD 21219

> RE: Item No. 397, Case No. 92-383-A Petitioner: Rose L. Mroz Petition for Variance

Dear Ms. Mroz:

The Zoning Plans Advisory Committee (ZAC) has reviewed the plans submitted with the above referenced petition. The attached comments from each reviewing agency are not intended to assure that all parties, i.e. Zoning Commissioner, attorney and/or the petitioner, are made aware of plans or problems with regard to the proposed improvements that may have a bearing on this case.

Enclosed are all comments submitted thus far from the members of ZAC that offer or request information on your petition. If additional comments are received from other members of ZAC, I will forward them to you. Otherwise, any comment that is not informative will be placed in the hearing file. This petition was accepted for filing on the date of the enclosed filing certificate and a hearing scheduled accordingly.

The following comments are related only to the filing of future zoning petitions and are aimed at expediting the petition filing process with this office.

The Director of Zoning Administration and Development Management has instituted a system whereby seasoned zoning attorneys who feel that they are capable of filing petitions that comply with all aspects of the zoning regulations and petitions filing requirements can file their petitions with this office without the necessity of a preliminary review by Zoning personnel.

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BUREAU OF TRAFFIC FNGINEERING DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

DATE: April 16, 1992

Mr. Arnold Jablon, Director Office of Zoning Administration and Development Management

Stephen E. Weber SUBJECT: Z.A.C. Comments

Z.A.C. MEETING DATE: April 13, 1992

This office has no comments for item numbers 392, 396, 397, 398, 399, 401, 404, 406, 407, 408, 417 and 418.

Assistant Traffic Engineer

Petitioner: Rose L. Mroz Petitioner's Attorney:

# BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AND RESOURCE MANAGEMENT INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

TO: Mr. Arnold E. Jablon, Director Office of Zoning Administration and Development Management

92-383.A 5-18-92

DATE: June 24, 1992

FROM: J. James Dieter SUBJECT: Petition for Zoning Variance - Item 397

Mroz Property

6761-92 W

ZONING OFFICE

## SITE LOCATION

The subject property is located at 7610 Bay Front Road. The site is within the Chesapeake Bay Critical Area and is classified as a Limited Development Area (LDA).

Chesapeake Bay Critical Area Findings

APPLICANT'S NAME Ms. Rose Mroz

## APPLICANT PROPOSAL

The applicant proposes to construct a new single family dwelling and has requested a variance from Section 1802.3.C.1 of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations to permit "a lot width of 50.61 feet in lieu of the required 55 feet."

## GOALS OF THE CHESAPEAKE BAY CRITICAL AREA PROGRAM

In accordance with the Chesapeake Bay Critical Area Program, all project approvals shall be based on a finding which assures that proposed projects are consistent with the following goals of the Critical Area Law:

- 1. "Minimize adverse impacts on water quality that result from pollutants that are discharged from structures or conveyances or that have runoff from surrounding lands;
- Conserve fish, wildlife and plant habitat; and
- 3. Establish land use policies for development in the Chesapeake Bay Critical Area which accommodate growth and also address the fact that even if pollution is controlled, the number, movement, and activities of persons in that area can create adverse environmental impacts." <COMAR 14.15.10.01.0>

Mr. Arnold E. Jablon June 24, 1992

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#### **REGULATIONS AND FINDINGS**

1. Regulation: "A minimum 100 foot buffer shall be established landward from the mean high water line of tidal waters, tidal wetlands, and tributary streams" <Baltimore County Code Section 26-449(a)>.

<u>Finding:</u> This property is located approximately 500 feet from the tidal waters of Old Road Bay; therefore, there is no disturbance of the shoreline buffer.

 Regulation: "Dredging, filling, or construction other than approved bulkheading shall not be permitted in any non-tidal and tidal wetlands unless the proposed development consists of utility, bridge, or street development in a non-tidal wetland and unless the Director of Environmental Protection and Resource Management finds this proposed development not detrimental to the County's Wetland Management Programs" <Baltimore County Code, Section 26-447>.

Finding: No tidal or non-tidal wetlands exist on this site or in the vicinity of this site; therefore, no construction shall occur in any wetlands.

3. Regulation: "If a parcel or lot one-half acre or less in size was in residential use or zoned for residential purposes on or before December 1, 1985, then man-made impervious surfaces associated with that use are limited to 25% of the parcel or lot" <Baltimore County Code, Section 26-543(e)(1).

Finding: The proposed house creates impervious surfaces which sum to 13% of the lot. New impervious surfaces shall not be allowed which exceed 25% of the lot.

4. Regulation: "If no forest is established on proposed development sites, these sites shall be planted to provide a forest or developed woodland cover of at least 15%" <COMAR 14.15.02.04 C.(5)(e)>.

Finding: The following plant material shall be selected from the enclosed list and planted in addition to existing vegetation to provide a 15% forested cover.

Shrub and small tree list: 4 items - ball and burlap or 2 gallon container size

1 item - ball and burlap, 1 to  $1\frac{1}{2}$  inch Tree list: caliper

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Trees are an important factor in improving water quality. The roots of trees greatly improve the infiltration rate of storm water and efficiently remove nitrogen from subsurface flows of groundwater. Trees also act as both a barrier and a sponge, blocking and absorbing eroding soils and the phosphorous associated with them.

5. Regulation: "Infiltration of stormwater shall be maximized throughout the site, rather than directing flow to single discharge points" <Baltimore County Code, Section 26-453(h)(2)>.

<u>Finding</u>: Stormwater runoff shall be directed from impervious surfaces associated with this plan, to previous areas, to encourage maximum infiltration. Rooftop runoff shall be directed through downspouts and into drywells to encourage maximum infiltration.

Regulation: "Before the issuance of any Use and Occupancy permit within the Critical Area by the Department of Permits and Licenses, the Director of the Department of Environmental Protection and Resource Management, or his designee, shall determine that the development is in compliance with the Findings and Findings Plan as determined by the approving authority. The Use and Occupancy permit shall not be issued unless and until the Director of Environmental Protection and Resource Management, or his designee, certifies to the Director of Permits and Licenses that such development is in compliance with said Findings and Findings Plan" <Baltimore County Code, Section 26-455>.

Finding: The Chesapeake Bay Critical Area Program will inspect the property prior to the issuance of the Use and Occupancy Permit. The Permit will not be issued until the property is in compliance with the Chesapeake Bay Critical Area Regulations.

## CONCLUSION

The Zoning Variance shall be conditioned so the project proposal is in compliance with the Chesapeake Bay Critical Area Regulations and Findings listed above. This proposal does comply with Chesapeake Bay Critical Area Regulations, and is therefore approved. If there are any questions, please contact Ms. Patricia M. Farr at 887-2904.

Department of Environmental Protection

Attachment

MROZ/WQCBCA

Department of Recreation and Parks Authorized signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date 5/4/92 Project Name Meeting Date Zoning Issue Waiver Number File Number 11 Heather Green Court 4-13-92 No Comments 7610 Bay Front Road (AT CBCA) DEPRM RP 7608 Bay Front Road 12-383 A 5/ RP No Comment 6207 Ethel Ave. (Ivv Spring Terrace) RP 6210 Ethel Ave.(Ivy Spring Terrace) 399 🥕 RP 2819 Georgia Ave. RP 9945-96 York Road (W. Bell property?) RP 3301 Edwards Lane (Parkside Marina) DC, IVI, IVI VAI COCA, 818 Berrymans Lane 403 RP Lot 102, Meadowcroft 16 (old) Old Court Road (Weinberg House (recent CRG)) 207 St. Marys Road DEFINITION (AT UBUA)



